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Orally administered sodium cromoglycate has been found to be effective in the treatment of allergic conditions such as asthma, general food allergies, ulcerative colitis, atopic eczema, chronic urticaria and irritable bowel syndrome if it is presented such that the sodium cromoglycate becomes bioavailable within (10) minutes of exposure to intestinal fluid. The sodium cromoglycate may be presented as enteric-coated tablets or individually enteric-coated pellets or microgranules packaged with disintegrant in a ratio of at least 1.2:1 disintegrant: sodium cromoglycate (w:w). Optionally, the patients are first selected to have a total serum IgE level of at least 150 iu/ml.

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